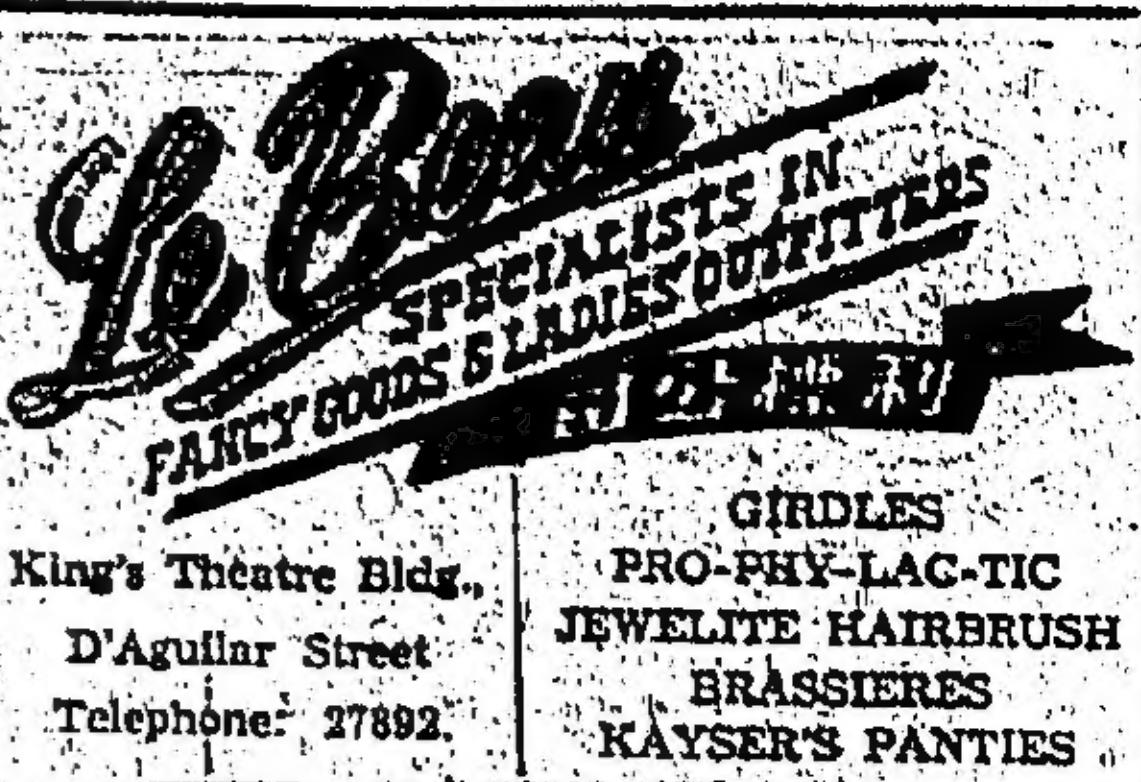


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## "GARRULOUS LITTLE PETREL"

Extracts From Book Read In Laski Libel Suit

### All This... And Ransom, Too?

Latest to receive the unwelcome attention of intimidation gangs are those about to become bridegrooms who are of fairly well-to-do families.

Letters addressed to them warn that unless the sum asked for—generally from \$1,000 to \$2,000—is paid at a designated rendezvous, the recipients "may never be able to enjoy the marital bliss you look forward to."

"Since you can afford to spend so lavishly on this auspicious occasion we are sure you will not grudge the little that we ask of you," reads the persuasive portion of the missive.

This class of recipients are mostly of the nervous sort and do not like anything untoward to mar an auspicious occasion; far less endanger lives, so very few, if any at all, report to the Police.

The "China Mail" understand on most reliable authority that at least one such groom-to-be who had been asked for \$2,000 after two sleepless nights, eventually paid up and is now sleeping soundly in the assurance that the wedding will come off without incident.

### Storm In Teacup, Says Defence

London, Nov. 30. Extracts from a book describing Mr. Harold Laski, Professor of Political Science at London University and last year's Chairman of the Labour Party, as the "garrulous little petrel of Socialist politics," wearing a "tight-fitting hip-slinky overcoat of a sort that dance band leaders wear," were read at the fourth day of the hearing of the libel action Professor Laski is bringing in the High Court.

Mr. Laski is seeking damages from the Newark Advertising Company Limited, publishers of the Newark Advertiser, and from the paper's editor, Mr. Cyril Parfitt, for reporting that he "implied to questioners during the general election campaign last year that he advocated revolution by violence."

The questioner to whom he was reported to have used the alleged words, Mr. Wentworth Day, former editor of the society and sporting weekly, The Field, was cross-examined today by Mr. G. O. Slade, for Mr. Laski, who read extracts from the book Harvest Adventure, which Mr. Day said he was about to publish.

Mr. Slade read this passage from the book: "Who should descend upon the English people of Newark but Professor Laski, that urban-minded and garrulous little petrel of Socialist politics. He swooped upon Newark to the aid of the Air Vice-Marshal (Air Vice-Marshal Champion de Crespigny, Labour candidate, at whose meeting Mr. Laski spoke.)

### Theft Of Important Documents

Hamburg, Nov. 29. Important Danish State papers stolen from a Danish military mission car on Wednesday were found today hidden under leaves near the Hamburg Museum.

Thirteen youths between the ages of 12 and 18 have been arrested.

Meanwhile, a Reuter report from Herford states that an arrest was made today in connection with the theft of the £250,000 Rembrandt picture from the Cologne Museum yesterday, according to the Public Safety authorities tonight.

It was not stated who the man was, or whether he was British or German.

The picture had just been brought from the United States zone for exhibition with other works in Cologne Museum. It was painted in 1650 and Rembrandt's son is said to have been the model for it.—Reuter.

"He was evidently a man with a disturbed mind. He appeared on a sort of French Revolution cart fitted with a microphone instead of a guillotine. He was dressed in a tight-fitting hip-slinky overcoat of the sort that dance band leaders wear. For the better part of an hour he sprayed us with an obscenities stream of rhetorical argument full of silly half-truths."

From time to time during reading if these extracts, Mr. Slade asked Mr. Day: "That was intended to be disparaging? Was that true?" Mr. Day replied that his remarks were not intended to be disparaging, but were true or purely descriptive.

In further cross-examination Mr. Day was asked whether he was telling the jury that Mr. Laski was making it clear that if the Labour Party today could not obtain its aim by general consent they would have to use violence even if it meant revolution. Mr. Day replied: "Yes, that is what I said he said. He was in a white heat of anger and said I would be one of the objects of it. Mr. Laski was in immense passion, with his arms out."

#### Judge's Remarks

Evidence for the defence included a deposition by Major Greene, acting British Consul at Trebizond, Turkey, who said he heard Mr. Laski say if Labour did not obtain the reforms desired, it might be necessary to use violence.

Cross-examined he gave his view that Mr. Laski had been trapped into doing something silly by a deliberate and careful bit of heckling.

Two other witnesses also told the court they had heard the words complained of. This ended the evidence for the defence.

Mr. Slade for Mr. Laski then said he did not think it would be right to ask the jury to find malice and, in a legal discussion in the absence of the jury, the judge said he would not tell the jury the words imputed treason, but would say they could be taken as implying that Mr. Laski was a stirrer-up of sedition and of a breach of the peace.

**Storm In Teacup**

Sir Patrick Hastings, in his final submissions to the jury for the defence, said the case was not far removed from a "storm in a teacup" and that probably no one more deeply regretted having issued the writ than Mr. Laski.

Mr. Laski had been saying and writing for years the sort of things the defendants said he uttered at Newark. "It must not be thought that anyone in this court on this side is suggesting that the Socialist Party believes in this rubbish of Mr. Laski. But there are a few people perhaps who have not got houses and want very little incitement to go and take them, or a few who have not got comforts who want very little incitement indeed to roar in the streets. Those are the people to whom this sort of thing would be dangerous."

Mr. Slade, whose final address to the jury on Mr. Laski's behalf was interrupted by adjournment until Monday, read long extracts from the evidence so far given in the case.—Reuter.

### JAPAN TO BE STRIPPED

Washington, Nov. 29.

Japan would be entirely stripped of her aluminum and magnesium industries and would have her iron and steel output limited to 2,750,000 tons a year under a plan evolved by the United States Reparations Commissioner, Mr. Edwin C. Pauley, disclosed by authoritative quarters here tonight.

It is understood that Britain is in broad agreement with the plan, but it is being held up at present by Russia's refusal to approve allied reparations policy for the Far East.—Reuter.

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### KING TO BROADCAST

London, Nov. 29. King George will broadcast a message to Britain and the Empire on Christmas Day, it was officially announced today.

The broadcast will be made from the King's Sandringham home in Norfolk, and will probably take place at 3 p.m.—Reuter.

### Mosquito Explodes

London, Nov. 29.

Two Royal Air Force men were killed tonight when their Mosquito plane exploded in mid-air over the Thames at Whitchurch, Oxfordshire.

The plane was flying low towards its aerodrome at Benson when it went into a spiral dive and blew up.

At Croydon a Dragon Rapide hospital plane on delivery flight to the Danish Red Cross in Copenhagen was damaged today.

The pilot had landed to clear the customs and the plane was parked with the brakes on but with no blocks under the wheels. A sudden gust of wind blew it backwards into some railings, damaging the tail and a wing. Nobody was in the plane at the time.—Reuter.

For the cheaper brands of gin, upon which at the moment the price margin is very small, the Trade has agreed to absorb 82 of the increased duty of \$2.67 a bottle.

The spokesman explained that some of the cheaper brands of gin were now retailing at such a small margin that if they absorbed the whole of the new duties they would be selling at a loss.

However, he assured that the Trade had agreed it would absorb as large a part of the new duties as possible of these brands.

So far as quality brands and all brands of champagne were concerned, these will remain at the previous retail price of \$3.00.

For cheaper brands and for still wines and liqueurs, the Trade will absorb one-quarter of the increased duty, i.e. 33 cents for still wines and between 58 and 67 cents for liqueurs, wherever present margins permit.

**No Increase In Smokes**

Regarding beer and tobacco, the spokesman stated that the present controlled prices of these commodities would not be increased.

He said that this meant the controlled prices on beer and tobacco already gazetted would remain in force and it is illegal for any retailer to sell them above those prices.

He also emphasised there was no necessity for cigarettes and tobacco to be held back from the public now that the position had been fully clarified.

Decisions regarding the absorption of the new increased liquor duties were finalised after conferences between representatives of the Government and the Trade.

During the debate on a measure to prolong the duration of several expiring bills, which was passed, Mr. H. S. Oliver, Under-Secretary to the Home Office, said there were many "undesirable" people in Europe today who would gladly take the opportunity of coming to Britain to laps.

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### Renault Strike Settled

Paris, Nov. 29.

The dispute in the Renault car factory at Le Mans in central France has been settled, a communiqué issued by the National Administration of the Renault factories announced tonight.

Reports had circulated that several thousand workers in the factory had seized control of the plant following the management's decision to close down the factory.

The action was said to have been due to the workers' threat of a strike.—Reuter.

### EXPLOSION AT POMPEY

Portsmouth, Nov. 29.

Two members of the crew of a landing craft refitted here were killed today as the result of an explosion on board.

Five other crewmen and seven dockyard employees working aboard were injured.—Reuter.

Athens, Nov. 29.

Press military dispatches said today that "foreign volunteers" were among the rebel forces killed by Government troops clearing the guerrilla strong points near Mount Cratone. No nationality of the "volunteers" was disclosed.—Reuter.

Manila, Nov. 29.

One hundred Bulaklakaps were killed on Thursday in a daylight to darkness battle with Philippine Military Police.

The police were reported to be in pursuit of the Huks,

which is retreating.

The arrival of harvest time in

Tarlac and Nueva Ecija provinces

caused a temporary lull in

the Huks' operations.

Carneille Illinois reported a loss

of 58,000 tons and National

2,000 since the start of the walkout.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Rail-

way laid off 2,800 employees.

In the far west, Utah reported

layoffs and such a shortage of gas

and power that

many companies

are closing down.

Yesterday's weather:

Maximum: 70 deg. Fahr.

Minimum: 58.7 deg. Fahr.

Max. Rel. Humidity: 80%

Sunshine: 7.8 hours

Rainfall: Nil.

Today's Forecast:

Moderately windy onshore.

Cloudy with scattered

showers.

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showers.





## Controlled Prices For Cars, Cycles, Trucks

Controlled prices for individual makes of motor cars, motor-cycles and trucks were gazetted yesterday in a new Price Control Order which also includes various brands of cycles and foodstuffs.

The new schedule is as follows:

Maximum Retail Price.

Motor Vehicles: (New & Second-hand)

Royal Enfield, Model Re. .... \$1,260.00

Royal Enfield, Model Co. .... 2,320.00

Scott Cyc-Auto, De Luxe Model .... 1,200.00

Motor Cars: Armstrong Siddeley Saloon, 16 h.p. .... 21,760.00

Austin, 8 ..... 5,630.00

Austin, 10 ..... 6,770.00

Austin, 12 ..... 9,100.00

Austin, 16 ..... 9,800.00

Morris, 8 ..... 7,200.00

Morris, 10 ..... 8,900.00

Dodge, 4 door Sedan, Model D-25-C. (Including duty) .... 10,900.00

Dodge, 4 door Sedan, Model D-24-C. (Including duty) .... 12,000.00

Chevrolet, Sports Sedan (Including duty) .....

Hudson, 51 Super 6 Sedan (Including duty) .....

Motor Trucks: Chevrolet, Chassis with Cab, Model 6403 (Including duty) .....

Dodge, Chassis with windshield, Model WF-32 (Including duty) .....

The following items have been deleted:

Motor Bicycles: All brands, unless specifically hereafter Gazetted (Including duty) .....

Motor Cars: Ford, V-8 de luxe Ford Sedan ..... 9,410.00

Ford, V-8 Super de luxe Ford Sedan ..... 9,780.00

Mercury, Town Sedan ..... 10,850.00

Triumph, 16, Roadster ..... 14,940.00

The following substituted:

Motor Bicycles: All brands, unless specifically hereafter Gazetted (Including duty) .....

Motor Cars: Ford, V-8 de luxe Ford Sedan (Including duty) .....

Ford, V-8 Super de luxe Ford Sedan (Including duty) .....

Mercury, Town Sedan (Including duty) .....

Triumph, 16, Roadster (Including duty) .....

Additions to the Schedule are:

Maximum Retail Price.

Cadbury's Milk Tray Assortment (per 4 lb. tin) .....

Cadbury's Milk Tray Assortment (per 1 lb. tin) .....

Fry's Assorted Chocolate (2 oz. block) .....

Cigarettes: "Marlboro" (per kt. of 20's) .....

Foodstuffs: Kraft Bonox (per 2 oz. bottle) .....

Kraft Bonox (per 2 oz. bottle) .....

Kraft Vegemite (per 2 oz. jar) .....

Kraft Vegemite (per 4 oz. jar) .....

Sweets: "Vitafee" toffees — single pieces (each) .....

The price of the following has been amended:

Horlicks Malted Milk (per lb.) .....

Wholesale Maximum Price

"Vitafee" toffees: Package of 4 \$ .20 per pkt. \$ .25 per pkt.

Package of 8 40 per pkt. 50 per pkt.

### FISH PRICES

The following were the average wholesale prices of fresh fish per lb. during the week ended Nov. 29:

Fresh Fish. Fresh Fish. Fresh Fish.

Yellow Croaker ..... 46.50 46.50 46.50

Croaker ..... 35 35 35

Golden Thread ..... 35 35 35

Gurnard ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

Red Snapper ..... 75 75 75

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Gold Fish ..... 25 25 25

Lizard Fish ..... 35 35 35

Conger Pike ..... 35 35 35

Ashore ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

Green Pinfish ..... 75 75 75

Round Herring ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

Shrimps ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

Meat Bots ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

Crabs ..... 1.05 1.05 1.05

## Sailor Sentenced

Another British seaman was given a prison sentence by Comdr. Ryder in the Marine Court yesterday. He was Harold Henry Lowe, 45, fireman of the s.s. "Samiam," who pleaded guilty to absenting himself without leave and wilfully disobeying the lawful command of his officers.

Outline the charge S. I. Jones, prosecuting, said Lowe refused duty on the morning of Nov. 27 and went ashore without leave. This happened again the next day and the day after; and when he returned to the ship shortly after noon on Nov. 29 he was placed under arrest and handed over to the Police.

The conduct of Lowe was described by the Captain of the "Samiam," who was in Court as complainant, as most unsatisfactory, and he asked the Magistrate to take a serious view of the offence. At almost every port of call he had been guilty of the same offence. In Bombay he had deserted ship but was signed on again after he had promised to mend. On board he was drunk and incapable of performing his duty on one occasion; and once when refused a monetary loan he complained he was being victimised.

All Old Boys are requested to attend. Please apply to the following as soon as possible, before Thursday, 5th December, for tickets:

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Pay Overdrawn

The Magistrate asked accused whether he had anything to say in his favour, which would be given every consideration, but he said he had none.

When Comdr. Ryder was about to impose a monetary fine he was told by the Captain that this was not possible as accused's pay was overdrawn. Expressing regret at having to send a seaman to prison he said in the circumstances he had no alternative, and imposed a sentence of six weeks of each charge, both to run concurrently.

## THE BALLET

Arnold Haskell once wrote that "dancing knows no language, barriers, consequently 'ballerina' is the short name for a nation's art." Perhaps he has added "a nation's life, its ways, beliefs, and experiences." Perhaps, too, a good many European dancers should learn the measure of the interests they master. Surely it is not enough to waltz through thirty-two foliетtes, or hold an arabesque, or stand in a hand-stationary position, have a badie even if you are Pavlova and Nijinsky are not remembered for perfection in technique alone. We still speak of the "Dying Swan" because we heard the flutter of wings and the ripple of water when Pavlova danced...Nijinsky revolved against an over-burdened ballet, whose aim was beauty of movement alone. That is why we remember the delicate art of the Chinese inverted the deterioration of ballet into a mere pleasing pattern of enchainments and brought the ballet world back to the true significance of its existence. These two and several other artists realised and still do the perfect execution of dances. It is not sufficient. Like music and painting and sculpture ballet must have its roots in truth and express something deep in the dancer's soul, express things beyond words.

The Chinese Ballet (who perform at the Star Theatre tonight) have sought to do this. Their technique (as we call it) is elemental. But they have grasped the full meaning of the word Ballet. The old form of the dance in China has been discarded by them but the classical idea, the narrative theme, is related to the long drawn-out performances of the old theatre, will probably be lost as stunned by the new form of Chinese dance as we foreigners. The settings and plots are purely national and therefore will be strange to us. To the Chinese it will be the silliness, the simplicity, and the emotional reality which come as a surprise.

Each dance is accompanied by an orchestra of mixed Chinese and European instruments. While a choir sings old and new national songs and bellads the dancers portray the meaning of the words. They live in the realms of a poem, telling us a story quietly but insistently. Their choreography is too simple for the artist to demand in most cases to come up to their standard.

They relate in their own joyful and expressive powers, in their wide travels through a devastated country they have been able to observe all classes of their countrymen. They have learnt the agony of empty nests to dislodge them from the joyous affection of the villagers and in celebrating an ancient festival, the only one that can ever shake the heart of a family separated by a separation stretching with them far, still throbbing with the wild beating of Xunao tribal drums.

All their dances are exquisitely simple, and hence, very beautiful. Those who are accustomed to the more complicated ballets of Europe and America must, at first, think them inartistic. But it is remarkable that simplicity is the essence of beauty. Great artists have given us masterpieces with the fewest strokes of the brush. Pauline Densholm,

Tenders are invited for continuous cutting of grass and undergrowth on Stonecutters Island.

Particulars of requirements can be obtained from N.A.S.O.-R.N.A. Depot Stonecutters Island.

The Gazette contains a list of clubs to whom sports grounds have been allotted.

BY EDGAR MARTIN

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SHANGHAI

## MOLOTOV PLAN WELCOMED New Hope For Disarmament Agreement

### Three Questions By Britain

Lake Success, Nov. 29. Denmark and Norway warmly welcomed M. Molotov's proposals for disarmament when the Political Committee of the United Nations General Assembly resumed its debate today. Mr. Gustav Rasmussen, of Denmark, added that the terms in which the British delegate had expressed himself gave new reason to hope that, in spite of difficulties, an agreement might be achieved. He said that by accepting the principle of control the Soviets had brought the reduction of armament a great step forward.

"Soviet initiative may prove to be the foundation stone for concluding international agreements," he said.

M. Molotov, who first proposed a ban on the war use of atomic energy yesterday, urged a system of worldwide inspection and the creation of two commissions of inspection to ensure that disarmament decisions of the Security Council were carried out.

The Norwegian delegate said that his country had perhaps given more attention to social and economic problems than to armaments in the past. "We are not ashamed if we err on the side of faith and reason, and fundamentally we thought that schools, hospitals and homes for the people were more important than the tools of mass murder."

### Costly Lesson

Norway had learnt a costly lesson from the bitter experience of invasion, he went on. Fulfilment of the military agreements provided in the Charter was urgent. A reduction of armaments was inseparably bound up with collective security. The world had become weary of words and the dangerous illusion of paper security.

"The only thing that can make us go in for a reduction of armaments is absolute conviction, based on hard fact, that this great organisation must prevent a repetition of what happened in 1940."

Mr. Norman Makin, of Australia, declared: "The Soviet representative said that commissions of control should be established within the framework of the Security Council. We should like to be quite clear whether that means any decisions of the commissions are to be subject to review and approval by the Security Council."

"If that were so, the committee must recognise that, owing to the voting procedure of the Security Council, the whole system could be made subject to the will of any one of the permanent members of the Security Council who chose to disregard the majority."

### U.S. Views

The Soviet proposal, he continued, suggested approach to the problem of atomic energy, which a large majority of members of the Atomic Energy Commission already found too narrow. There were different conceptions of the meaning of the word "control." It was doubtful whether the powers of the Security Council under the Charter were sufficiently wide for the supervision and control of armaments, Mr. Makin said.

Senator Tom Connally gave the United States' policy on disarmament and he made the following main points: The United States desires ready and effective action to be taken by the General Assembly with respect to a general reduction of armaments. The United States attaches importance to the necessity of reaching an agreement in the Atomic Energy Commission.

Senator Connally said that any system of disarmament and inspection should also include the question of the amount and training of reserves. Millions of reserves trained could be mobilised overnight.

### Britain's Three Questions

He declared: "We must go further than the mere outlawing of atom bombs. Any plans for a reduction of armaments must be closely related to the conclusion of armed forces agreements provided for in Article 48 of the Charter."

"The fundamental principle of effective international control and safeguards applies equally to the regulation of weapons. We must have effective safeguards in the way of inspection and other means," said Senator Connally.

Sir Hartley Shawcross, of Britain, put three carefully phrased questions to the Soviet delegation, asking it to indicate his position on the various points raised.

"What is the relation of their proposal to the Atomic Energy

### ARMY LEAVE CANCELLED

Batavia, Nov. 29. According to the Indonesian News Service all leave in the Indonesian Republican Army has been cancelled.

The News Service said it was believed that this step had been taken in connection with the "tense situation on all fronts," resulting from the failure to reach agreement in the truce talks of the boundaries of the Dutch-Indonesian areas.—Reuter.

control and inspection, subject to the control of the Security Council, and that unanimity would be essential to the establishment and operation of the system once it was established.

"All these are matters which must be clarified if the world is to be able to go forward with confidence."

Sir Hartley urged that discussion should be confined to broad and general terms and suggested a sub-committee might be formed to compile a draft resolution, which "we could pass unanimously and which we could proceed at once to put into operation. The world will thank us if we do."

### World's Thanks

"Does the Soviet Government contemplate in regard to arms other than atomic weapons a system of disarmament eventually to be established, together with the machinery for

reducing armaments?"

Reuter.

## More Jews Shipped Off To Cyprus

Jerusalem, Nov. 29. Empire Heywood, Empire Rival and Ocean Vigour left for Cyprus today with nearly 4,000 Jewish illegal immigrants following rejection of the Palestine High Court of the Jews' petition for writs of habeas corpus.

A Jewish Agency spokesman, commenting on the court's rejection, said the Agency had "reliable information" that official quarters in London "such as the Colonial Office" were not opposed to the admission of 4,000 illegal Jewish immigrants into Palestine.

Their counsels had been made known to the Palestine Administration and particularly to the military, but they had not been heeded," he said. Tension was already increasing, he added.

The Palestine Government in an official communiqué issued today said it "greatly regrets that it has once more been compelled to transfer illegal immigrants to Cyprus. It recognises the disappointment and distress suffered by the immigrants themselves and the depth of feeling which these deportations cause among the Jews of Palestine."

"Such action is most distasteful and its cause is deplored but no country in the world can permit illegal entry of many thousands of people who, in the present case, are encouraged and assisted to make the attempt in complete disregard of the warnings repeatedly given that they will not be allowed to land. These attempts merely destroy and bring to nothing the efforts being made by both the Administration and responsible Jewish leaders, to bring about better conditions and arrive at an understanding in Palestine," the communiqué said.

The Colonial Office in London said this afternoon there was absolutely no truth in reports that it was not opposed to the admission into Palestine of the immigrants.—Reuter.

### JESSICA TANDY AS NAN

Hollywood, Nov. 30. Jessica Tandy, British character actress and wife of Hume Cronyn, has been cast as Nan Britton, Amber St. Claire's faithful maid, in "Forever Amber."

Mrs. Tandy created notable roles in "Valley of Decision" and "The Seventh Cross." Her latest part was in "The Green Years," with her Canadian actor-husband.—Associated Press.

### British Note To Poland

London, Nov. 29. A British note sent to the Polish Government on Nov. 22 and published today, after taking note of the electoral law as passed by the Polish National Council for the Homeland, again draws the attention of the Polish Government to the views expressed in the previous British note on Aug. 10, to which the Polish Government replied,

agreeing to hold "free and unfettered elections," and concluded by saying, "the manner in which these and other necessary conditions of free and unfettered elections are fulfilled will necessarily affect the views of His Majesty's Government as to the representative character of the election results and of any Government formed as a result of the election." Reuter.

## Cut Off Own Leg

Paris, Nov. 29.

After amputating with a penknife his own leg, which had been all but blown off by an exploding mine, and applying a tourniquet, Maurice Lamargue, a young Frenchman, drove his companion, Alfred Cougnon, who was also badly injured, in a car for many miles over rough roads to hospital at Landrecies, northern France.

The men were clearing mines from a forest when an explosion occurred. Cougnon's legs were both fractured.

A small boy who saw the accident helped both men to get into a car and then manipulated the accelerator while Lemargue steered.

Lemargue is reported to have fainted several times during the trip, but the doctors said today that he is doing well. His companion was in a serious condition.—Reuter.

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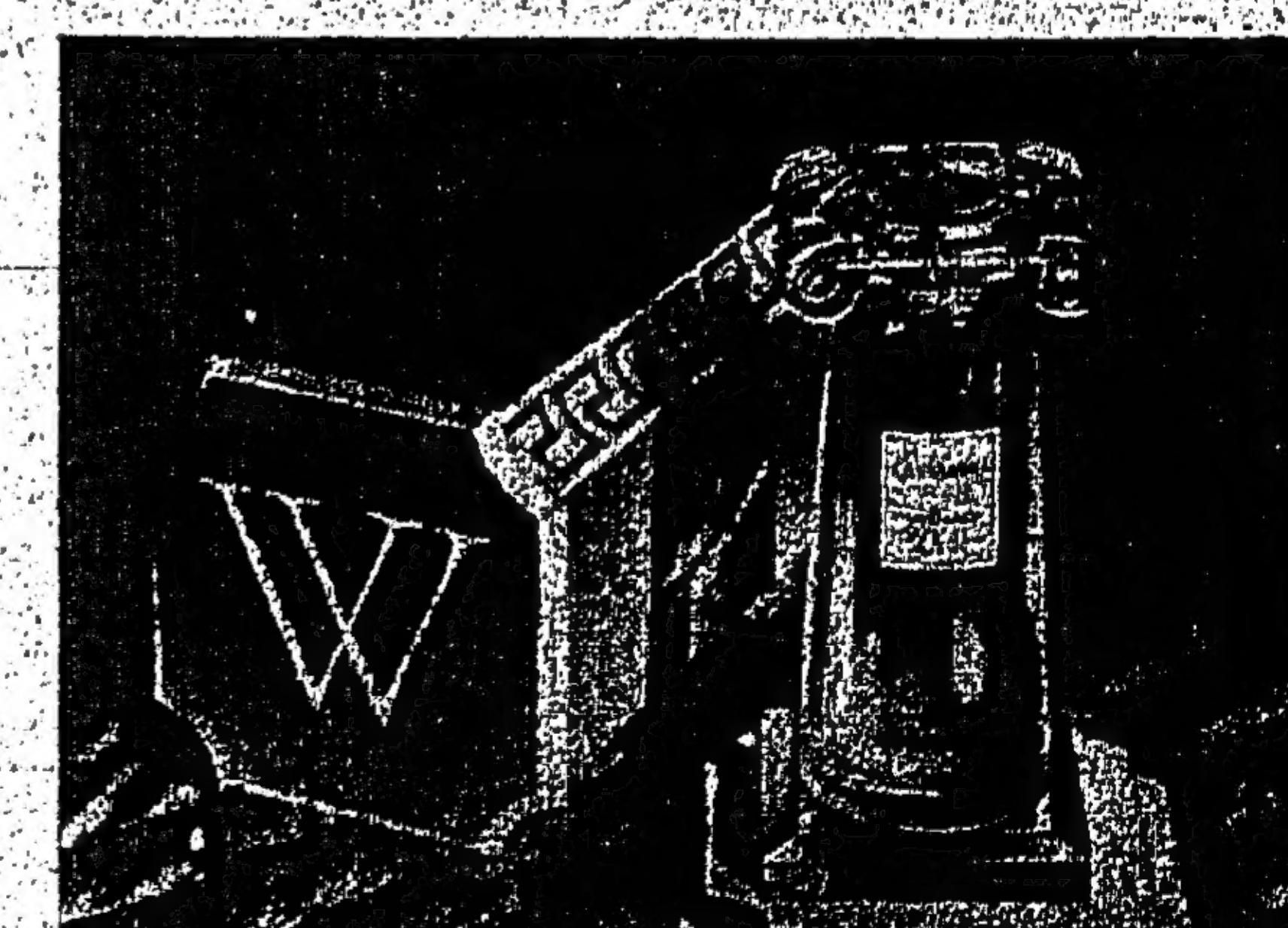
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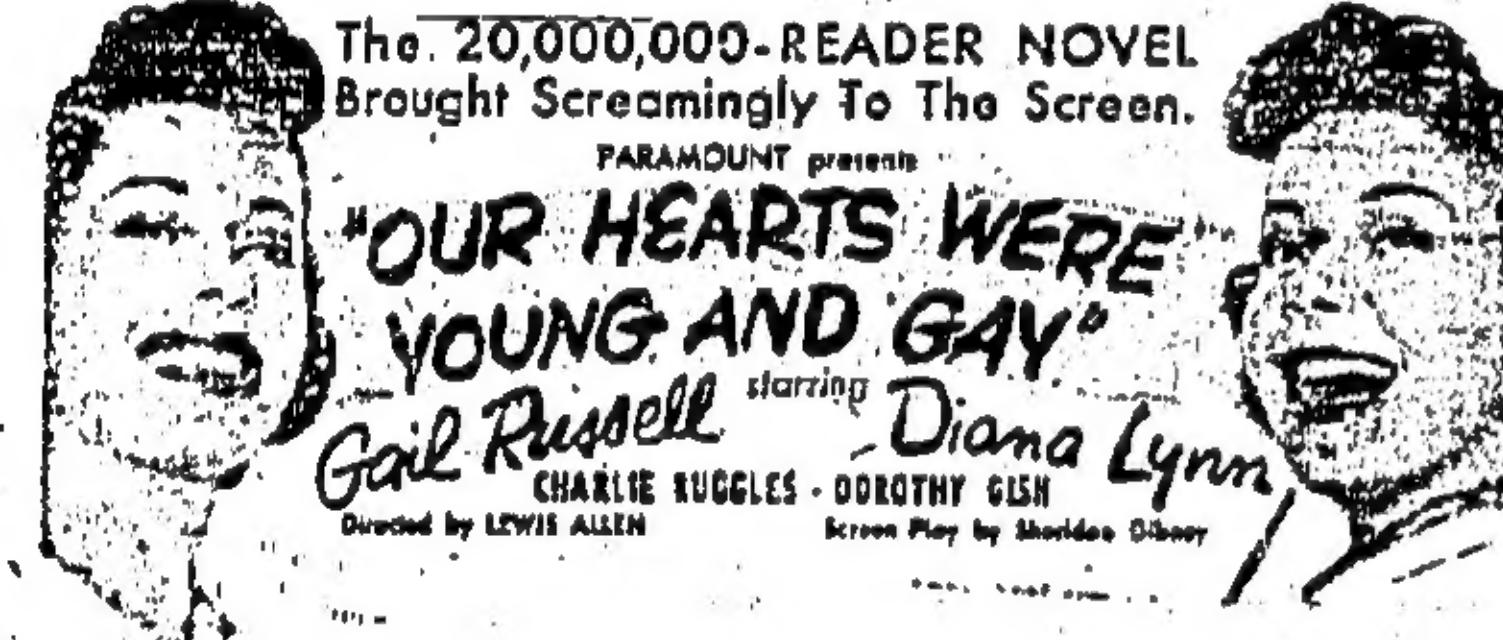


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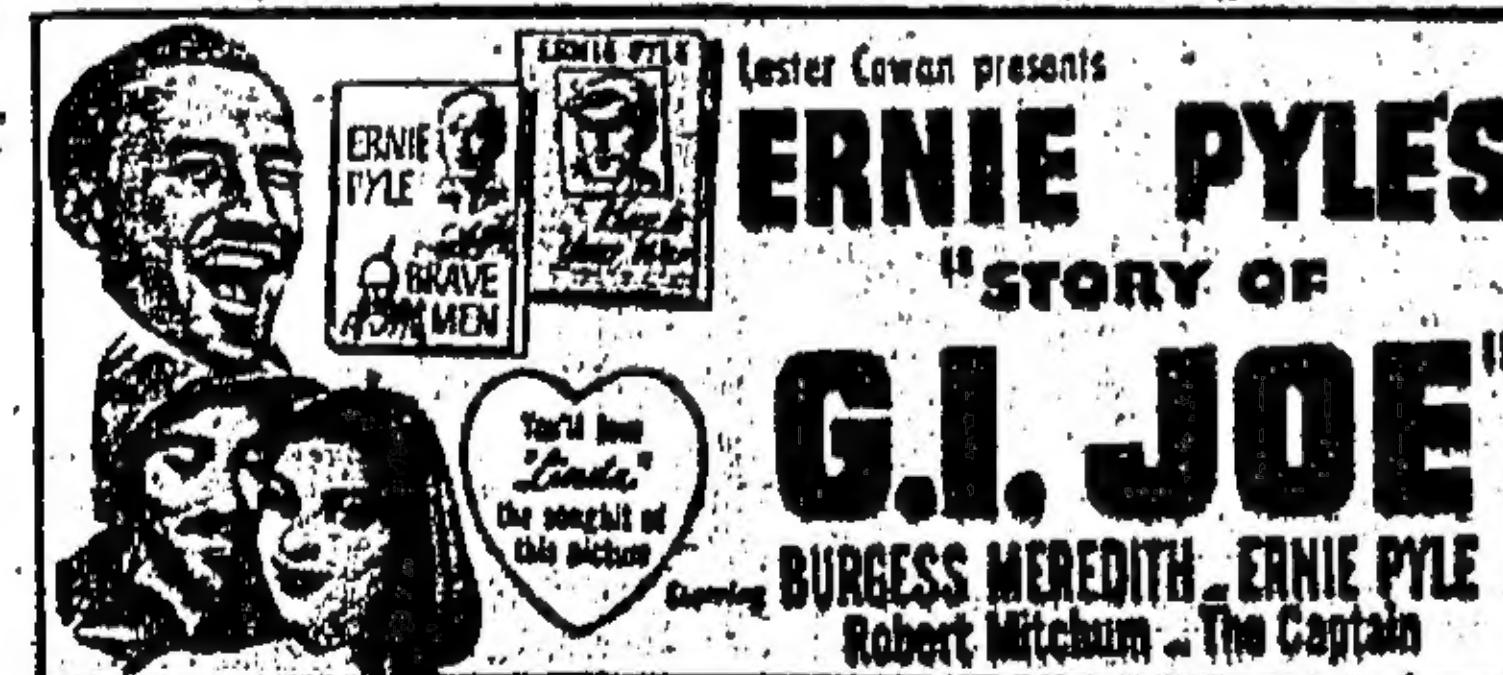
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# GERMAN NATIONALISM MAY EMERGE AGAIN

London, Nov. 30. Dr. Kurt Schumacher, the German Social Democratic leader meeting the press less than two hours after his arrival here, gave a warning that Allied indecision and disunity was creating in Germany a state of demoralisation from which a new nationalism might grow. He said that German Social Democracy was determined to fight nationalism in every shape and to oppose every attempt to make Germany part of any bloc or combination of powers short of a United Europe.

He appealed for an immediate and complete end to the dismantling policy except for war industries and for inter-Allied agreement which, he said, were

indispensable conditions for a speedy restoration of German unity.

Mr. Norman Phillips, General Secretary of the Labour Party, when asked whether Dr. Schumacher would meet members of the British Cabinet, said:

"We have invited the German delegation as part of our policy of encouraging Socialist forces everywhere and we expect that they will meet some of our party friends in responsible positions."

The whole problem of the administration of the British zone of Germany, will be reviewed as soon as the present negotiations for an integration of the British and American zones are completed. In the light of that review some informed quarters say some changes in the administrative pattern are possible, but it is emphasised that no decisions have yet been taken.

**Britain Agrees**

Britain has now agreed to the principle of sharing equally with the United States the £250,000,000 to be spent over three years in reorganising the integrated Anglo-American zone subject to final clarification on the question of the dollar-sterling proportion. This is understood to mean that the joint zone will buy more—though possibly only fractionally more—from the non-dollar countries.

British experts are endeavouring to compute what proportion would be practicable, but it is clear that the nature of the

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# TAKING SHAPE

London, Nov. 30. The British delegates to the United Nations, Mr. Philip Noel-Baker, who has just returned from Lake Success, said here tonight:

"There it will be found that the method of open discussion and public debate before the world will lead to a far greater measure of agreement than was at first thought possible. I believe that the United Nations Organisation is taking shape and at long last is going to solve the problems of peace and war."—Reuters.

zone's requirements demands that the great proportion of purchases must be in hard currency markets. British political quarters seem satisfied that the integration of the Anglo-American zones will eventually cheapen cost of their administration to both countries.

A sharp change in Russian policy toward Germany appeared to be in the making yesterday with consistent reports that the Soviet occupation forces had decided to form five state Governments in their zone similar to those in the American zone.

**Central Government**

This step was interpreted as a preparatory move toward a "federated" Central Government with powers divided between Federal and State Administrations. This type of future Government for Germany has been one of the main points of United States policy.

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The bowlers, try as they could, never mastered the batsmen, though always bowling well, and Colin McCool, who was really chosen for his bowling, may attain the coveted distinction of scoring a century in his first Test appearance.

He and Ian Johnson, another bowler, have already added 130 for the sixth wicket without being parted, for they flogged the tired bowlers after Miller had left, following the brilliant 70 he made at 40s.

McCool will return to the crease on Monday needing only eight for his hundred which, if he reaches it, may remind him that he might have been out after opening his score. Gibbs behind the wicket, mused the chance of catching him off Bedser.

This was not the only missed catch. Hammond failed with one and Bedser another, in both cases off Hassett, but as the latter left shortly afterwards, caught by Yardley those errors were not very expensive.

Apart from those chances, England never faltered in the fielding and throughout a long day of blazing heat, the ground fielding was excellent with Washbrook, Yardley and Ikin outstanding.

The full score-board to date is: Sidney Barnes, c Bedser, b Wright ..... 31 Arthur Morris, c Hammond, b Bedser ..... 2 Don Bradman, b Edrich ..... 187 Lindsay Hassett, c Yardley, b Bedser ..... 128 Keith Miller, lbw, b Wright ..... 70 Colin McCool, not out ..... 92 Ian Johnson, not out ..... 47 Extras ..... 26 Byes ..... 3 Total ..... 595

**BOWLING ANALYSIS**

	O. M. R. W.
Bedser	37 3 159 2
Voice	28 9 92 0
Wright	37 4 135 2
Edrich	23 2 98 1
Yardley	11 1 47 0
Ikin	2 0 24 0
Crompion	6 0 20 0
Reuter	—

**F.A. Cup-1st Round**

Aldershot	4 Cheltenham
Bristol C.	0 Halifax
Carlisle	2 Hayes
Gainsborough	4 Runcorn
Rochdale	1 Darlington
S. Liverpool	4 Gravesend
Stockton	0 B. Aukland
Wellington	2 Workington
Yeovil	1 Lincoln
Barnet	2 Peterboro
Bournemouth	3 Sutton
Brush	4 Exeter
Doncaster R.	1 Southend
Gateshead	2 Accrington
Hartlepool	2 Bradford
Rotherham	0 N. Shields
Stockport	2 Crewe
Swindon	2 Southport
Wrexham	5 Cambridge
Lancaster	5 Marine Crosby
Leystonstone	0 New Brighton
Norfolkhampton	1 Spennymoor
Nottingham	2 Walsall
Oldham	2 Mansfield
Queens P. R.	1 Transmere
Ipswich	2 Pooltown
Leyton O.	2 Torquay
Merthyr Tydfil	1 Notts C.
Norwich	3 Bristol R.
Port Vale	2 Brighton
Reading	5 Finchley
Reuter	0 Colchester

**LARCENY CHARGE**

Colombo, Nov. 30.  
Ceylon police were today seeking for a gang believed to have organised a lottery on the Test Match.

Tickets have been sold openly in the streets of Colombo, it was reported today, although lotteries and raffles are subject to police permission.

Meanwhile, a Reuter report from Queensland reports that officials at Brisbane stated today's receipts have beaten the city's record, exceeding the \$3,652 taken at the December 1936 game, although the crowd today was about 7,000 short of the gate on that occasion.—Reuter.

## Home Football Results

London, Nov. 30.  
The following are the results in today's League football matches:

### First Division

Arsenal	2 Bolton	2
Aston Villa	2 Sheffield U	3
Blackburn	1 Grimsby	1
Blackpool	3 Liverpool	2
Brentford	1 Leeds	1
Derby	3 Chelsea	1
Everton	2 Middlesb.	1
Huddersfield	1 Stoke	0
Portsmouth	3 Charlton	0
Sunderland	0 Preston	0
Wolver	3 M'chester U	2

### Second Division

Bradford	2 Newport	1
Bury	4 West Brom.	0
Chesterfield	0 Burnley	0
Fulham	0 Birmingham	1
Leicester	1 Tottin	1
Luton Town	4 Newcastle	3
Manchester C.	1 Southampton	1
Millwall	2 Barnsley	1
Plymouth	2 Swans	1
Wednesday	4 Coventry	2
West Ham	2 Notts F.	2

### Scottish "A" Division

Celtic	4 Kilmarnock	2
Hamilton	2 Aberdeen	5
Hearts	0 Rangers	3
Morton	5 Queens P.	4
Partick	4 Falkirk	1
Queen of South	0 Clyde	0
St. Mirren	0 Hibernian	1
Third Lanark	2 Motherwell	1

### Scottish "B" Division

Airdrie'	3 Alloa	2
Arbroath	3 East Fife	1
Dumbarton	5 Cowdenbeath	1
Dundee	6 Albion R.	2
Deafnerline	0 St. Johnstone	4
Raih	4 Ayr	1
Stenhousem'r	3 Dundee U.	2

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Rochdale	0 B. Aukland	1
S. Liverpool	2 Workington	1
Stockton	1 Lincoln	4
Wellington	1 Watford	2
Yeovil	2 Peterboro	2
Barnet	3 Sutton	3
Bournemouth	4 Exeter	0
Brush	1 Southend	1
Doncaster R.	2 Accrington	2
Gateshead	2 Bradford	0
Hartlepool	0 N. Shields	0
Rotherham	2 Crewe	0
Stockport	2 Southport	0
Swindon	4 Cambridge	1
Wrexham	5 Marine Crosby	0
Lancaster	1 Spennymoor	0
Leystonstone	2 Walsall	0
Norfolkhampton	2 Mansfield	0
Oldham	1 Transmere	0
Queens P. R.	2 Pooltown	2
Ipswich	2 Torquay	2
Leyton O.	1 Notts C.	0
Merthyr Tydfil	3 Bristol R.	1
Norwich	2 Brighton	0
Port Vale	5 Finchley	0
Reading	0 Colchester	0

### Police v Signals

An exciting game was witnessed when Police drew with Signals, sharing two goals after leading 1-0 at the interval.

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South China—Wong Wah-kung, Cheung Chung-wan and Yuen Shue; Tsui Kam-hung, Leung Wing-chui and Lo Wai-kun; Tsui Kam-po, Chau Man-ching, Chan Tak-jui, Chu Wing-keung and Lee Shek-wu.

Hard knocks were given and taken by both sides, but the game was played in a very sporting spirit.

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A hard-fought game was witnessed on the Club ground when the two teams met.

The late arrival of Chan Ming-fai, right back, caused Eastern to play with only 10 players for about 15 minutes. Though trying very hard, the soldiers were unable to utilise this opportunity to register any score.

Outstanding were the two goalkeepers. They were severely tested, but played excellently to clear numerous dangerous shots.

The game was evenly contested throughout. Neither side was able to score, both missing many an opportunity. The soldiers were short of luck. Ford, sending in several beautiful shots, the majority of which hit the cross-bar.

Play became most exciting towards the end when both sides tried hard to score without success. At one stage, play touched the rough side and one of the Con-

## No Disgrace When Saints Lose

Dogged by bad luck from the very start in losing the services of R. Rocha in the first minute of the game and then having to concede a penalty which was converted, St. Joseph's played their best game of the season when they fully extended a strong South China side at Causeway Bay yesterday in the First Division of the Football League and eventually lost by two clear goals.

The handicap of playing one man short from so early a stage in the game was indeed great, but the Saints played a hard and determined game and gave the South China supporters many anxious moments. It was only in the closing stages when St. Joseph's threw everything into the attack to at least force a draw—and they were near scoring on two occasions—that South China were able to score again.

South China had their best side out while St. Joseph's brought in Santos on the left wing in place of Castilho, but he was not an improvement.

Three players were outstanding in the Saints team and they were MacDougall in goal, Airrosa as the pivot and Leung their wing half. MacDougall brought off one save after another and some of them were wonderful. Airrosa was never beaten for possession and his tackling was sound. His distribution play was also good and as a third back he had the Chinese forwards well held.

Lo and Ma played much better than the referee, who conceded only 10 points for the foul of H. Hussain, except for a costly lapse of giving away a penalty, also put in some extremely useful work and generally had Lee Shek-wu well covered and this winger was practically passenger throughout the game.

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From a serum Graham picked up and running strongly touched down just outside the posts. This was turned into five points by

mando forwards being warned by the referee.

**3 Cdo. Bde v. S. China**

South China Juniors received a rude shock at Causeway Bay yesterday when they were beaten by 3 Cdo. Bde. H.Q. by four goals to two in the Second Division.

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**H.Q. Land Forces v 44 Cdo.**

H.Q. Land Forces defeated 44 R.M. Commando by the odd goal in three after leading 1-0 at half-time in the Second Division.

Lambell opened the scoring for the winners, Johnson scoring for Commandos shortly after the interval. Lambell scored the winning goal.

**Dockyard v Kit Chee**

In the Second Division, Dockyard scored an easy victory over Kit Chee, defeating the latter by three goals to one, after being held to one-all in the first half.